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Title: COMPOSITION FOR
PROTECTING PROTEINS
DEGRADATION COMPRISING
SMALL HEAT SHOCK
PROTEINS (sHSPs) AND
METHOD OF TWO-
DIMENSIONAL GEL
ELECTROPHORESIS USING
THE sHSPs

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